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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

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Mark: Coupling Sleeve For : Group Art Unit: 3679  
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Rock Bolt To An Impact :  
Rock Drilling Machine :  
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REQUEST TO REOPEN PROSECUTION AND AMENDMENT

Applicant respectfully requests that prosecution of this patent application be reopened, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 41.50(b)(1), to address the new ground of prior art rejection made by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences, in its Decision On Appeal dated August 2, 2010.

The present Amendment revises the claims, and presents arguments, in response to the new ground of prior art rejection raised by the Board.